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November 17, 2014

Re: K141317  
Trade/Device Name: ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System  
Regulation Number: 21 CFR 888.3050  
Regulation Name: Spinal interlaminar fixation orthosis  
Regulatory Class: Class II  
Product Code: PEK  
Dated: September 17, 2014  
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Dear Mr. Eggleton:

We have reviewed your Section 510(k) premarket notification of intent to market the device referenced above and have determined the device is substantially equivalent (for the indications for use stated in the enclosure) to legally marketed predicate devices marketed in interstate commerce prior to May 28, 1976, the enactment date of the Medical Device Amendments, or to devices that have been reclassified in accordance with the provisions of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Act) that do not require approval of a premarket approval application (PMA). You may, therefore, market the device, subject to the general controls provisions of the Act. The general controls provisions of the Act include requirements for annual registration, listing of devices, good manufacturing practice, labeling, and prohibitions against misbranding and adulteration. Please note: CDRH does not evaluate information related to contract liability warranties. We remind you, however, that device labeling must be truthful and not misleading.

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forth in the quality systems (QS) regulation (21 CFR Part 820); and if applicable, the electronic product radiation control provisions (Sections 531-542 of the Act); 21 CFR 1000-1050.

If you desire specific advice for your device on our labeling regulation (21 CFR Part 801), please contact the Division of Industry and Consumer Education at its toll-free number (800) 638-2041 or (301) 796-7100 or at its Internet address

<http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>. Also, please note the regulation entitled, "Misbranding by reference to premarket notification" (21CFR Part 807.97). For questions regarding the reporting of adverse events under the MDR regulation (21 CFR Part 803), please go to

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<http://www.fda.gov/MedicalDevices/ResourcesforYou/Industry/default.htm>.

Sincerely yours,

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Enclosure

## Indications for Use

510(k) Number (if known)

K141317

Device Name

ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System

Indications for Use (Describe)

The Aurora Spine ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System is a posterior, non-pedicle supplemental fixation device, intended for use in the non-cervical spine (T1-S1). It is intended for plate fixation/attachment to the spinous process for the purpose of achieving supplemental fusion in the following conditions: degenerative disc disease (defined as back pain of discogenic origin with degeneration of the disc confirmed by history and radiographic studies), spondylolisthesis, trauma (i.e., fracture or dislocation), and/or tumor. The Aurora Spine ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System is intended for use with bone graft material and is not intended for stand-alone use.

Type of Use (Select one or both, as applicable)

☒ Prescription Use (Part 21 CFR 801 Subpart D)

☐ Over-The-Counter Use (21 CFR 801 Subpart C)

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## 510(k) Summary

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**Device Trade Name:** ZIP<sup>TM</sup> MIS ULTRA Interspinous Fusion System  
ZIP<sup>TM</sup> MIS Interspinous Fusion System

**Manufacturer:** Aurora Spine, Inc.  
1920 Palomar Point Way  
Carlsbad, CA 92008

**Common Name:** Interspinous Fusion Device

**Classification:** 21 CFR §888.3050; Spinal interlaminar fixation orthosis

**Class:** II

**Product Code:** PEK

### Summary of Technological Characteristics:

The purpose of this Special 510(k) is to introduce a line extension (ZIP<sup>TM</sup> Flared) to the Aurora Spine ZIP<sup>TM</sup> MIS Interspinous Fusion System that accommodates spinal level between T1 and S1 with greater lordosis. There have been no changes to the intended use of the device or its fundamental scientific technology.

### Indications For Use:

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**Device Description:**

The Aurora Spine ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System is a bilateral locking plate system which attaches to the posterior noncervical spine at the spinous processes. The implants have superior and inferior surfaces and a central chamber for receiving bone graft. The devices are available in a variety of cylinders to accommodate variations in pathology and patient anatomy. The Aurora Spine ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System is intended to provide immobilization and stabilization of spinal segments as an adjunct to fusion of the thoracic, lumbar and/or sacral spine.

**Predicate Device:**

The modified Aurora Spine ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System is substantially equivalent to the predicate Aurora Spine ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System (K140715, K133091) with respect to indications, design, function, performance and materials.

**Non-Clinical Testing:**

Finite Element Analysis (FEA) testing was provided to demonstrate substantial equivalence of the modified components compared to the predicate ZIP™ MIS system. FEA testing showed the additional geometries of the subject device do not offer a worst-case scenario as compared to the predicate ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System components.

**Conclusion:**

The Aurora Spine ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System has been modified to include modified spinous process fusion plates with different angles and spike orientations to accommodate varying degrees of lordosis. Substantial equivalence has been demonstrated to predicate ZIP™ MIS Interspinous Fusion System 510(k)s.